

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
WESTERN DIVISION

JASON STRICKLAND,

:

Plaintiff,

v.

:

Case No. 3:15-cv-399

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL
SECURITY,

JUDGE WALTER H. RICE

:

Defendant.

DECISION AND ENTRY ADOPTING UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE
JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS (DOC. #17);
SUSTAINING PLAINTIFF'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR ATTORNEY
FEES (DOC. #15); AWARDING \$10,000.00 IN ATTORNEY FEES TO
PLAINTIFF'S COUNSEL PURSUANT TO 42 U.S.C. § 406(b); CASE
TO REMAIN TERMINATED ON DOCKET

Based on the reasoning and citations of authority set forth by United States Magistrate Judge Michael J. Newman, in his Report and Recommendations, Doc. #17, as well as upon a thorough *de novo* review of this Court's file and the applicable law, the Court ADOPTS said judicial filing. The Court notes that, although the parties were notified of their right to file Objections to the Report and Recommendations, and of the consequences of failing to do so, no Objections were filed within the time allotted.

The Court SUSTAINS Plaintiff's unopposed Motion for Attorney Fees, Doc. #15, and awards Plaintiff's counsel \$10,000.00 in fees pursuant to 42 U.S.C.

§ 406(b). The above-captioned case is to remain terminated on the Court's docket.

Date: August 6, 2018



WALTER H. RICE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE